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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN THE APPLICATION OF:

MICHAEL J. BAUHOFF

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EXAMINER: LORI L. COLETTA

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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**Introductory Comments**

This is submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2004. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and submit the following in support thereof. Please amend the application as follows:

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